

SOCIAL EVENTS

SERSIG-EXNER.

The marriage of Miss Ruth Exner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Exner, 712 Fourteenth and a-half street, and Edward Sersig, son of Mrs. Anna Sersig, 521 Twenty-fourth street, was celebrated Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at the rectory of Sacred Heart Catholic church. Rev. C. P. O'Neill officiating at the ceremony. They were accompanied by Mrs. Jay Kinney, sister of the groom and his brother Frank Sersig. The bride wore a suit of tan with a black hat. Mr. and Mrs. Sersig will make their home for the time being with the groom's mother. Mr. Sersig is employed at the Rock Island road round house.

TO HONOR BRIDE-ELECT.

Miss Hildur Anderson, a bride-elect of next week, was honored guest Thursday at two functions, her aunt, Mrs. Eric Wyman, entertaining in the afternoon and Miss Lavina Anderson of Rock Island entertaining in the evening.

In the afternoon 12 ladies were guests at a pretty thimble party and spent most enjoyable hours over their work. The bridal colors, green and white, decorated the rooms and in the dining room, where a nice luncheon was served, white carnations were used with greenery in a dainty arrangement. The bride-to-be was presented with a set of silverware.

The guests at Miss Anderson's were given napkins to hem and the two doing the best work awarded prizes, the bride-elect's mother, Mrs. A. P.

Anderson, and Mrs. Eric Wyman being the fortunate ones. When hemmed the napkins were presented to the honoree. Green and white streamers ornamented the home and these colors were also used to a certain extent in the refreshments enjoyed at the evening's close.

WILL BRING SYBIL SAMMIS MACDERMID.

The music department of the Davenport Woman's club will bring Sybil Sammis-MacDermid and her husband, James MacDermid, for the next general meeting of the Woman's club of March 8, of which the music department has charge.

Mrs. MacDermid as Sybil Sammis was well known in the musical world for her beautiful voice and concert work, before her marriage to the celebrated composer, James MacDermid, a few years ago, and since that time she has been appearing in recitals and concerts with her husband making a specialty of his songs.

A very interesting program is promised for the afternoon at the Davenport Commercial club. Mrs. J. J. Dorgan, chairman of the department, who has the arrangements in charge, announced the recital at the monthly meeting of the department that was held Thursday with Mrs. N. S. Mitchell of Fulton avenue.

The reciprocity meeting of the music departments of the Davenport, Rock Island and Moline Women's clubs was announced to be held at "Albion," the home of Mrs. Frank

Gates Allen in Moline in April. The program of the afternoon consisted of violin numbers by Miss Marguerite Oude, vocal solo by Mrs. Harry Bloch, and piano solos by Miss Esther Gerber and Miss Lettie Dennis and Mrs. Carl Richter read a paper on "American Organists and Violinists." There was a pleasant social hour after the program when the hostess served refreshments. Mrs. Lois Lingsfeldt will entertain the next department meeting at her home on East Fourteenth street, Davenport. There were about fifty of the ladies present. A committee for election at the next meeting was named by the chair in Mrs. William Theophilus, Mrs. Clifton Curtis and Mrs. L. R. Clapp.

SPEND DAY WORKING FOR CHURCH.

A work meeting of the Ladies Aid society of the First Methodist church was held yesterday, Mrs. J. W. Dunham, 2925 Fifth avenue, acting as the hostess. After the work meeting the hostess served her guests with refreshments.

ARRANGE FOR COFFEE PARTY.

At a meeting of the Ladies Aid society of the United Presbyterian church, held yesterday in the home of Mrs. Ray Readdy, 1950 Eleventh avenue, plans were made for a coffee party to be given next Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles Oberstatter, 1321 Twenty-fifth street. The affair will be for the general public. The attendance yesterday at the

meeting was large, the ladies spending the time with fancy work and visiting. committee number four of the society serving a good lunch. The society voted to give \$28 towards a special fund for the church.

PEERLESS CLUB DANCE.

Thirty couples attended the dancing party given last evening at the Family theatre hall by the Peerless club, Bousier's orchestra giving the charge program. The committee in charge of the affair was composed of E. W. Young, D. J. McCarthy and C. W. Hastings.

ANNUAL PRAISE SERVICE.

The second annual praise service of the Woman's Mission society of South Park Presbyterian church held yesterday in the church was attended by over a hundred of the members and their friends. Mrs. C. W. Hawes, the president, presided and conducted the opening devotional services, the audience joining in responsive reading. The program opened with a violin and piano duet given by Charles Olson and Miss Nellie Brien. A letter of greeting was then read from Mrs. W. S. Marquis, formerly of this city, now of Chicago, and Mrs. Ernest Quayle gave a reading "Mickey of the Slums." The Laura Marquis circle sang "The Lord is My Shepherd" and Mrs. Charles Boehme read a paper on "Responsibility in Missions." The secretary and treasurer then brought to the altar the annual thank offering, which amounted to over \$34 and while they made the presentation of the offering the audience sang "Take My Life and Let It Be." To close the program 10 small girls from the Junior Association gave a beautiful candle drill.

At the close of the program the ladies were invited to the church basement where a committee served them with coffee and cookies, and a season of sociability was enjoyed.

DAUGHTERS INITIATE FIVE MEMBERS.

At the regular meeting of the Barbara Frischele tent No. 21, Daughters of Veterans, held last evening at Memorial hall in the court house, five new members were initiated into the order and the routine business of the circle was transacted. The Daughters now number 55 and additions to their membership are made at each meeting, assuring the society of a strong organization.

WASHINGTON TEA AND SALE.

The Best Division of the Ladies Aid society of Spencer Memorial Methodist church conducted a very successful Washington tea, Priscilla rug and battery sale at the home of Mrs. W. L. Eitman, 901 Forty-third street yesterday afternoon. There was a large attendance of ladies who spent the time with their fancy work and in informal sociability. The business assisted by Mrs. William Moody and Mrs. J. Hedberg served a nice lunch during the course of the afternoon. The receipts from the sale amounted to \$22.

RECIPROCALITY DAY PROGRAM.

A reciprocity meeting of the music departments of the Rock Island and Moline Women's clubs was held yesterday in the parlors of Masonic temple.

CHURCHES

CHRISTIAN—

Memorial Christian, corner Third avenue and Fifteenth street. Rev. M. E. Chadler, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Senior and Intermediate Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Rev. J. T. Houser will preach at both services tomorrow, in the morning on the theme, "The Judgment Day," and in the evening on "The Ark, a Type of the Church."

Second Christian, corner Sixth and Thirteenth avenue. W. B. Stine, pastor. Bible school at 9:30 a. m. Services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Fifteenth Avenue Christian, corner Fifteenth avenue and Thirty-sixth street. Rev. C. Lee Stauffer, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

BAPTIST—

First Baptist, corner Third avenue and Fifteenth street. Rev. H. W. Reed, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Junior B. Y. P. U. at 2 p. m. Intermediate and Senior B. Y. P. U. each meets at 6:30 p. m. Services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Edgewood Baptist, corner Forty-fourth street and Fifth avenue. Rev. J. C. H. Road, acting pastor. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Young People's meeting at 6:20 p. m. Services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Rev. A. M. Bruner will preach on the topic, "The Coming of the Flood," at the evening service.

Swedish Baptist, corner Twenty-first street and Fifth avenue. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. by Rev. J. A. Carlson. Young People's meeting at 5 p. m. alternate Sundays.

McKinley Baptist (colored), Tenth street and Sixth avenue. Preaching morning and evening by Rev. Mr. Sanders of Clinton, Iowa. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN—

Central Presbyterian, corner of Fourteenth street and Tenth avenue. Rev. David A. Johnson, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 9:45 p. m. Services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Broadway Presbyterian, corner of Twenty-third street and Seventh avenue. Rev. James Edgar Wilson, pastor. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Young people's meeting at 6:45 p. m. Services at 10:45 a. m. and 4:30 p. m. Morning theme, "The Genesis of Greatness." At vesper service will be held a memorial for Fanny Crosby. Pastor's theme, "The Harp Tuning Up." Rev. W. G. Ogilvie will speak on "The Hymns of the Church." Lunch will be served at 4 o'clock in the social rooms.

South Park Presbyterian, corner of Thirtieth street and Fifteenth avenue. Rev. W. G. Ogilvie, pastor. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Rev. James Edgar Wilson will preach at the evening services.

ALLEN STREET CHAPEL, ALLEN STREET.

South Rock Island. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. J. H. Cleland, superintendent emeritus. Christian Endeavor at 6:45. Evening services at 7:30. United Presbyterian, Third avenue and Fourteenth street. Rev. J. L. Vance, pastor. Bible school at 9:30 a. m. Young People's Christian union at 6:30 p. m. Services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Milan Presbyterian, Rev. W. H. Shaw, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Mid-week prayer services Wednesday evening at 7:30.

LUTHERAN—

Zion Swedish Lutheran, Forty-fifth street and Seventh avenue. Rev. N. J. Forsberg, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

First Swedish Lutheran, corner Fourteenth street and Fourth avenue. Rev. Karl Nilsson, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Grace English Lutheran, corner Seventh avenue and Forty-fourth street. Rev. Ira O. Nothstall, pastor. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

German Evangelical, corner Twelfth street and Twelfth avenue. Rev. F. J. Hoff, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Immigrant's German Lutheran, Twelfth street and Fifth avenue. Rev. Ph. Wilhelm, pastor. English Sunday school at 9:15 until 10:15. German services at 10:30 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m.

METHODIST—

First Methodist, corner Fifth avenue and Nineteenth street. Rev. O. T. Duell, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The pastor will take as his theme the most familiar verse in the Bible, "Obedience is the first step to wisdom." Old Fellows' service in the evening, with a discourse on the greatest picture known.

Spencer Memorial Methodist, corner Forty-third street and Seventh avenue. Rev. W. H. Topp, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Epworth league at 6:30 p. m. Services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

German Methodist, corner Fourteenth street and Sixth avenue. Rev. H. J. Kestelkamp, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Epworth league at 6:30 p. m. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Free Methodist, 1529 Ninth avenue. Rev. J. G. Reckenbach, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Love feast at 10 a. m. Services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Misses Methodist, Rev. Alfred Dixon, pastor. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Epworth league at 6:45 p. m. Services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Wayman African M. E. (colored), corner Fifth and a-half street and Thirteenth street. James L. Wharton, pastor. Sunday services at 10 a. m.

AT 10 O'CLOCK, CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR LEAGUE AT 6:30.

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CATHOLIC—

St. Joseph's parish church, Second avenue and Fourteenth street; Father J. J. Quinn, pastor; Masses at 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Week-day masses at 7:30 a. m.

Sacred Heart parish church, Fifth avenue and Twenty-eighth street; Father Clement P. O'Neill, pastor. Masses at 7:30, 8:30 and 10:30. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Evening prayer (when held) at 7:30. Week-day masses at 7:30 a. m.

St. Mary's church (German), Fourth avenue and Twentieth street; Father Peter Kluck, pastor. Masses at 8:30 p. m. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. Week-day mass at 8 a. m.

St. Paul's church (Belgian), Twenty-fourth street and Eleventh and a-half street; Father P. Holvoet, pastor. Mass at 8 a. m. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m.

EPISCOPAL—

Trinity Episcopal church, Nineteenth street and Sixth avenue. Rev. Granville H. Sherwood, pastor. Services at 7:30 a. m. and 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

SCIENTIST—

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 325 Twenty-third street. Sunday service at 10:45 a. m. Subject of lesson, "Mind."

The church maintains a free reading room in the People's National Bank building, which is open every week day from 11:30 a. m. to 5 p. m. and every Saturday evening from 7 to 9 o'clock. All authorized literature on Christian Science may be read or purchased.

WEST END SETTLEMENT—

West End Settlement, 429 Seventh avenue. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30. W. B. Barker, superintendent.

First Christian Spirits Church—Services every Monday night at 7:45, at Odd Fellows' hall, Fifth and Brady streets, Davenport. Mrs. Julia Alford, minister. Messages received every Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Odd Fellows' hall.

Gospel meetings will be held at the Sears town hall Sunday at 2 p. m. William H. Oldham of Clinton, Iowa, will be in charge of the services. Meetings will be held the last Sunday of every month hereafter conducted by Mr. Oldham.

Church of the Brethren—Rev. D. A. Rowland, pastor. Services at Industrial hall, Fourteenth street and Fifth avenue, Moline. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. Evening services at 7:30 p. m.

The Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. At Army hall, Sixteenth street and Third avenue. Sabbath school at 9:45 a. m. in charge of Superintendent I. M. Bama. Sunday school at 1:45 and preaching at 2:30 o'clock, in charge of William Willetts, presiding elder. Seats are free and no collection is taken.

Zion Tabernacle—Second avenue and Eighteenth street, second floor; Rev. Van Buren Shumaker in charge. Zion Junior bible school every Lord's day at 2 p. m. Deaconess Clark, monitor in charge. Principal service at 3 p. m. Divine healing Tuesday at 2:30 p. m. Praise and prayer meeting Wednesday at 5 p. m.

Perfect Christian Way—Services at 2 o'clock Sunday at 636 Eighteenth street. J. Jefferson, conductor.

Evangelistic Meetings

Continue at
Memorial Christian Church
Every Night Next Week

Swedish Chorus Soloist



MISS ESTHER OSBORN.

Miss Osborn will be heard at the concert of the Swedish National chorus in the First Lutheran church, Moline, Wednesday evening, Feb. 25. She is an American girl who has risen to the first rank as an operatic singer in Stockholm, Berlin and Hamburg. Minneapolis is her home. She is a granddaughter of one of the founders of Augustana college, Dr. Esbjorn, and has visited in this city at various times. Her voice has the rich lyric beauty typical of northern singers, and 16 years of European training enables her to use it with great skill. Though young in years her art is mature and she sings with ease and authority. The grace and maidenly charm of her personality adds not a little to the hearers' enjoyment of Miss Osborn's art.

HEART and HOME PROBLEMS

MRS. ELIZABETH THOMPSON



Dear Mrs. Thompson: (1) Some of my girl friends call me an "old maid" because I say it is wrong to allow a boy the liberty to kiss a girl good night. They tell me that I will never have a good time or be popular. Is that true? I do not think so, because I have had several boy callers who have not as yet asked or attempted because they seem eager to come me because they seem eager to come as a rule.

(2) What should I say to a boy should he kiss me without my permission? (3) What should I say to a girl who is continually making sarcastic remarks about my appearance? One of my friends told me that it was all "sour grapes" on her part. Nevertheless the remarks make me feel very uncomfortable.

T. B. E.
(1) My dear girl, you are on the right track; good times and popularity are not gained through "spoiling." Boys almost invariably take the girls with whom they have not become too familiar to respectable places of entertainment. The girl who can keep boy friends by letting them kiss her is the exception. When I see a very popular girl I think: there is a girl who has not let herself become common.

(2) It would be easier for you to prevent a boy from kissing you than to reprove him for it. If you are on your guard you can usually tell what he is going to do. But if he should kiss you, tell him quietly but firmly that if your friendship continues that sort of thing will have to stop.

(3) Say nothing and pretend that you do not notice or understand the remarks.
Dear Mrs. Thompson: I am 13 years old and have been keeping company with a young man almost a year. (1) He says that he loves me. Do you think he really does, or is he just saying so? (2) Would it be all right to ask him over to lunch some time? (3) Would it be all right for me to go to his home for lunch or dinner?

CONSTANT READER.
(1) The young man probably loves you. But if I were you I would not encourage his saying so until he is able to offer you a home. (2) Yes, (3)

If you receive your invitation through his mother.

Dear Mrs. Thompson: Should a respectable girl meet a fellow downtown or any other place? I C.

Not under ordinary circumstances.
Dear Mrs. Thompson: When getting home from church should a girl ask her gentleman friend in for a walk? And how long should he stay? A CONSTANT READER.

Yes. He ought to leave between 10:30 and 11.
Dear Mrs. Thompson: Is there any harm in writing notes to your boy friends in school? P. J.

Yes. You get in the habit of thinking of the boys and do not pay attention to your studies. Many failures in school have been the result of writing notes.

Dear Mrs. Thompson: Will you please tell me in what way I can straighten my pug nose? F. C. W.

There is no way to straighten it.
Dear Mrs. Thompson: (1) I am going to say pieces on Washington's birthday. Would a white summer dress and slippers be all right to wear? (2) What kind of ribbons would be all right? (3) I am 13 years old; how should I wear my hair? I. J. G.

(1) Yes, (2) White.
(3) The way you always do. A new way of wearing your hair might make you self-conscious.

Dear Mrs. Thompson: Is there any remedy for chickenpox marks? A. B. C.

They can be removed by the electric needle.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

WITCH YEAST.

One cup sugar, one cup salt, one quart potatoes (after peeled), one pint flour.

Boil potatoes until tender. Put sugar, salt and flour in crock, place slander in top of crock, pour hot potatoes and boiling water in which they are cooked into colander, washing potatoes and pressing them through slander. Strain all together and beat until smooth and nice.

Let cool, then add a pint of good yeast. Add water to make about two gallons. Keep in warm place for a day or two, then remove to where it is cool, but do not allow to freeze.

When you want to make bread take one pint of this yeast for each loaf of bread you wish to make. Warm it by putting in a vessel and setting it in warm water, stirring all the time, being careful to let it get only milk warm; then add flour and proceed as with other bread.

The nice part about this is, it is always ready and bread can be made with it on short notice.

When you wish to make it again, save one pint of the yeast to start with.

POTATO DISHES.

Potato Omelet—One cup mashed potatoes, one cup sweet milk, two eggs beaten separately until very light; add a little salt and a little flour; mix and beat all together; fry in butter until brown.

Potato Croquettes—Two cups cold mashed potatoes, season with pinch of salt, pepper and a tablespoon butter. Beat whites of two eggs and work all together thoroughly; make into small balls slightly flattened, dip in beaten yolks of eggs, then roll either in flour or cracker crumbs. Fry same as fish balls.

Potato Soup—Six medium-sized potatoes; peel and cut in small dice, cook done with water enough to serve as many as eight persons. Brown some lard and flour in a spider, stir into the potatoes; pepper, salt.

Potato Ribbons—Cut potato in strips. Have pan hot and put in tablespoon of butter. Drain the potatoes, roll in flour, fry brown.

Potato Pie—Peel and slice potatoes as you want to fry enough to fill a pudding pan; take a layer of potatoes, then a layer of fat meat scraps; pepper and salt; then potatoes and meat till pan is full. Line pan first with biscuit dough and put dough on top as for pie. Add water (one-half cup), bake till potatoes are done. Can add an onion if liked. Serve with a brown gravy.

Browned Potatoes With Roast—Peel, cook and mash required quantity, adding white hot a little chopped onion, pepper and salt. Form into small oval balls and dredge with flour, then place around meat about 20 minutes before it is taken from oven. When nicely

browned, drain dry and serve hot with meat.

UP-TO-DATE RECIPES.

Potatoes Hungarian Style—Chop fine one onion and fry it in one ounce of butter with half teaspoonful paprika. Add one good-sized tomato, peeled and free from seed, and cut rather small. Use six medium-sized peeled raw potatoes, cut into somewhat thick slices. Moisten with light stock or water, just enough to cover. Salt and cook over brisk fire, almost reducing the liquid entirely. Sprinkle with chopped parsley when serving.

Stuffed Sweet Potatoes—Bake potatoes, then cut a slice lengthwise, scoop out pulp, mash and season with butter and salt, adding the stiffly beaten white of one egg; refill shells, dot with a little butter, place on dripping pan in oven 10 or 15 minutes.

Coffee Cake—Mix together one cup granulated sugar, one tablespoon each of melted lard and butter; beat to a creamy consistency, add one cup black coffee in which has been added one teaspoon soda and one teaspoon vanilla. Sift in flour with one-fourth spoon baking powder and one teaspoon corn starch, adding half cup raisins or jam.

Emergency Cupcakes—One cup sugar (scent), one-half cup shortening, one cup milk (scent), one teaspoon cinnamon, flour to make medium batter; a few raisins.

Apple Cake—One cup grated apples, one-half cup butter, one cup sugar, yolks of two eggs well beaten. Then add one teaspoon cinnamon, one-half teaspoon cloves, one-half teaspoon allspice, two teaspoons cocoa, two cups flour, one cup milk, one teaspoon baking soda dissolved in a little boiling water. Bake in layers about 25 minutes. Frosting: Three-fourths cup grated apples, one cup powdered sugar, whites of two eggs. Beat apples and sugar, then add whites of two eggs and whip until thick. It will become nice and fluffy by beating.

White Rose Cake—Bake a white cake in three layers. Turn cake pans upside down and let lie 10 minutes, when the brown crust can all be removed with a sharp knife, leaving the cake perfectly white. For filling, use whipped cream flavored with rose-water. Spread this thickly between layers. If you want something unusually delicate, bake an angel cake in layers and use above filling.

Egg Muffins—Use your cold meat scraps in egg muffins; two cups ground cold meat, one cup soaked bread crumbs, one small onion, one egg. Mix thoroughly with salt and pepper, put in greased muffin pans. If desired, break an egg on each. Bake eight minutes.

Hope Springs exulting on triumphant wing—Burns.